

**U.S. District Court**  
**United States District Court for the Western District of Washington (Seattle)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:18-cv-00677-TSZ**

Friends of the Earth v. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers  
Assigned to: Judge Thomas S. Zilly  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 05/10/2018  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
05/10/2018	<a href="#">1</a>	COMPLAINT against defendant(s) U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Receipt # 0981-5313089), filed by Friends of the Earth. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Civil Cover Sheet, # <a href="#">2</a> Summons)(Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 05/10/2018)
05/10/2018	<a href="#">2</a>	CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT indicating no Corporate Parents and/or Affiliates. Filed pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P 7.1. Filed by Friends of the Earth (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 05/10/2018)
05/11/2018		Judge Thomas S. Zilly added. (RE) (Entered: 05/11/2018)
05/11/2018	<a href="#">3</a>	Summons(es) electronically issued as to defendant(s) U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. (RE) (Entered: 05/11/2018)
05/15/2018	<a href="#">4</a>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 05/15/2018)
05/25/2018	<a href="#">5</a>	ORDER directing counsel to confer and file a Joint Status Report due by 8/24/2018, by Judge Thomas S. Zilly. (SWT) (Entered: 05/25/2018)
05/29/2018	<a href="#">6</a>	SERVICE OF SUMMONS and Complaint returned executed upon defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on 5/21/2018 (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 05/29/2018)

06/18/2018	<a href="#">7</a>	NOTICE of Appearance by attorney Michelle R. Lambert on behalf of Defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 06/18/2018)
06/18/2018	<a href="#">8</a>	ANSWER to <a href="#">1</a> Complaint by U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.(Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 06/18/2018)
07/16/2018	<a href="#">9</a>	NOTICE of Appearance by attorney Brian Alan Knutsen on behalf of Plaintiff Friends of the Earth. (Knutsen, Brian) (Entered: 07/16/2018)
08/02/2018	<a href="#">10</a>	JOINT STATUS REPORT signed by all parties estimated Trial Days: 0. (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 08/02/2018)
08/02/2018	<a href="#">11</a>	Joint Stipulated MOTION for <i>Entry of Order Establishing Briefing Schedule</i> , filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Proposed Order) Noting Date 8/2/2018, (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 08/02/2018)
08/03/2018	<a href="#">12</a>	MINUTE ORDER re parties' <a href="#">10</a> Joint Status Report. The Court sets the following dates and deadlines: Bench Trial is set for 7/15/2019 before Judge Thomas S. Zilly; Deadline for defendant to file any dispositive motion is 8/24/2018; Agreed pretrial order due 6/20/2019; Trial briefs and proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law due 6/20/2019; Pretrial conference scheduled for 1:30 p.m. on 6/28/2019. The parties' joint motion, docket no. <a href="#">11</a> , to establish a briefing schedule for dispositive motions is GRANTED. The dates and deadlines set forth herein are firm and can be changed only by order of the Court. Authorized by Judge Thomas S. Zilly. (TH) (Entered: 08/03/2018)
08/24/2018	<a href="#">13</a>	MOTION for Summary Judgment , filed by Defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Proposed Order) Noting Date 10/19/2018, (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 08/24/2018)
08/24/2018	<a href="#">14</a>	DECLARATION of Hynes filed by Defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Exhibit, # <a href="#">2</a> Exhibit, # <a href="#">3</a> Exhibit, # <a href="#">4</a> Exhibit)(Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 08/24/2018)
08/24/2018	<a href="#">15</a>	DECLARATION of Martin filed by Defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 08/24/2018)
09/06/2018	<a href="#">16</a>	Unopposed MOTION Clarify Scope of Review and Extend Administrative Record Deadlines , filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Proposed Order) Noting Date 9/6/2018, (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 09/06/2018)
09/19/2018	<a href="#">17</a>	MINUTE ORDER granting in part and deferring plaintiff's <a href="#">16</a> Motion to Clarify Scope of Review and Extend Certain Deadlines; striking deadline for filing administrative record and filing any motion to supplement the administrative record. Authorized by Judge Thomas S. Zilly. (SWT) (Entered: 09/19/2018)
09/21/2018	<a href="#">18</a>	CROSS-MOTION AND RESPONSE re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment ., filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth. Oral Argument Requested. (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Proposed Order) Noting Date 10/19/2018, (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 09/21/2018)
09/21/2018	<a href="#">19</a>	DECLARATION of Fred Felleman filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth re <a href="#">18</a> CROSS-MOTION AND RESPONSE re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment . (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 09/21/2018)
09/21/2018	<a href="#">20</a>	DECLARATION of Marcellin Keever filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth re <a href="#">18</a> CROSS-MOTION AND RESPONSE re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment . (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 09/21/2018)
09/21/2018	<a href="#">21</a>	DECLARATION of Paul Kampmeier filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth re <a href="#">18</a> CROSS-MOTION AND RESPONSE re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment . (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Exhibit 1, # <a href="#">2</a> Exhibit 2, # <a href="#">3</a> Exhibit 3)(Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 09/21/2018)
10/05/2018	<a href="#">22</a>	REPLY, filed by Defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, TO RESPONSE to <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 10/05/2018)
10/05/2018	<a href="#">23</a>	DECLARATION of Martin filed by Defendant U.S. Army Corps of Engineers re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment (Lambert, Michelle) (Entered: 10/05/2018)
10/19/2018	<a href="#">24</a>	REPLY, filed by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth, TO RESPONSE to <a href="#">18</a> CROSS-MOTION AND RESPONSE re <a href="#">13</a> MOTION for Summary Judgment . (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 10/19/2018)
01/18/2019	<a href="#">25</a>	NOTICE of Supplemental Authority by Plaintiff Friends of the Earth (Kampmeier, Paul) (Entered: 01/18/2019)

01/30/2019	<a href="#">26</a>	ORDER granting in part plaintiff's <a href="#">18</a> Motion for Summary Judgment; granting in part defendant's <a href="#">13</a> Motion for Summary Judgment; dismissing Claim 4 of <a href="#">1</a> Complaint. Signed by Judge Thomas S. Zilly. (SWT) (Entered: 01/30/2019)
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